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### Terrific Explosion of Gas Under Wilkesbarre, Pa.

#### EIGHT MEN PROBABLY KILLED.

Four Others Seriously Injured, Two of Whom, It Is Feared, Will Die—The Cause of the Accident Will Probably Never Be Known.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 8.—Shortly after 5 o'clock last evening a terrific explosion of gas occurred in the Duquesne mine, operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal company, which is situated in the northwestern part of the city. It is not yet known how many men were in the mine. The officials are very reticent, and it is almost impossible to get any information from the levels of the earth where the rescuers are at work. At 5 o'clock five men, all badly burned, were brought to the surface. They are Robert Blanchard, aged 19 years, William Miller, aged 21; Michael Moss, George Lally and Joseph Murphy. The first two are members of the engineer corps. Moss and Lally are laborers, and Murphy is a driver. The injuries of Moss were so serious that he died at the hospital at 1 o'clock this morning. Miller and Blanchard are so terribly injured that they cannot survive.

Blanchard gave his version of the explosion to a reporter as he lay on a cot in the hospital. According to his statement, shortly before 5 o'clock the engineer corps decided to make a survey of a portion of the old abandoned workings known as the Baltimore section, and which underlie the grounds of the Wilkesbarre baseball club, one mile distant from the main opening of the mine. The party which was in charge of the survey consisted of William Jones, William Cahill and Lewis William Jones. Cahill and Miller were left behind to finish some work that had been started in the morning.

About twelve minutes after the party had left Miller and Blanchard the explosion occurred. Both Miller and Blanchard were knocked down by its force. Flying timber also struck Miller, breaking both his arms. After being knocked down Miller and Blanchard remained motionless until they were revived at the hospital. Blanchard thinks one of the engineers, or probably the fire boss, set fire to a body of gas in the old workings, and that all of the party must have been instantly killed. When Blanchard was found he was lying slowly roasted to death. The gas had set fire to his clothes, and they had been almost burned off his body when the rescuers came upon him. Miller, with his broken arms, could render him no assistance, and Blanchard was so plumed down by debris that he could not make use of his hands.

At midnight the rescuers had made very little headway in their efforts to reach the scene of the explosion. Fire damp made its appearance shortly after 8 o'clock and it was necessary to stop considerable blasting work, which proceeded very slowly. There is a strong suspicion also that the explosion caused a heavy fall in the old workings and that this will further retard the work of the rescuers.

It is now admitted by the mine officials that there is no hope of finding the engineer corps alive. They all perished in the explosion, and if they were not killed outright they were suffocated by the fire damp. The superintendent is of the opinion that they were killed by the force of the explosion, and their bodies probably burned to a crisp. All but eight miners and laborers have now been accounted for. Superintendent Chase thinks, however, that the list of dead will not number more than seven or eight. These may be put

down as follows: William L. Jones, mining engineer, aged 21, of Wilkesbarre; William Cahill, mining engineer, aged 20, Wilkesbarre; Lewis William Jones, mining engineer, aged 24, Pittston; Daniel Davis, fire boss, aged 38; three unknown men, probably Hungarian laborers.

**Terrific Destruction and Misery.**  
CLEVELAND, Oct. 8.—A few miles east of Cleveland Carl Longworth has been living with his wife and children in a filthy shed devoid of furniture. On Saturday night his baby, 9 days old, died. The coroner yesterday found the family in a horrible condition. The body of the baby was covered with dirt and was a mere skeleton. The coroner believes death was caused by starvation. A week ago the neighbors took an 18-month-old boy away from the family, and are trying to save his life. He was on the verge of starvation. Longworth had seven children. All are dead except the rescued boy, and the neighbors say all died as the baby did. Longworth is in jail pending the coroner's inquest, having been arrested after a desperate fight with the officers.

**A Youthful Hunter's Crime.**  
HONESDALE, Pa., Oct. 8.—Two boys, aged 10 and 12 years, respectively, were gunning in Pike county, about eight miles from Hawley, when the elder exclaimed, "How easily I could shoot you," and aiming the action to the word he fired, mortally wounding his companion. The affair has created indignation in view of the refusal of the county commissioners to appropriate money to capture and prosecute Chris Hausman, who fatally shot "Square Newburger" last Wednesday, thus allowing murder to become an unpunishable offense in the county.

**Harrison's Lucrative Law Practice.**  
INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 8.—The emoluments of the law have proved so large in the practice of ex-President Harrison that it is not strange if, as his intimate friends say, he shrinks from being a candidate. A close friend who talked on the subject yesterday says that the fees in the cases which General Harrison had appeared in court since his resuming the law amounted to \$25,000, and that he has made as much more in consultation fees and for charges for opinions.

**Several More Will Die.**  
LORAIN, O., Oct. 8.—Physicians report that several of those injured by the falling of the floor at the church cornerstone laying on Sunday cannot recover. Among them are Mrs. Kate Dietrich and Mrs. Jacob Keefner, internal injuries; Nicholas Wagner, skull fractured; Mrs. William Burgett, spine injured, and John Eustis, hurt internally.

**Fireman Killed by a Bridge.**  
HAGERSTOWN, Md., Oct. 8.—John K. Middlekauff, of this place, a Western Maryland railroad freight fireman, was struck on the head by an overhead bridge pier near Chambersburg, Pa., while leaning from his cab. His skull was fractured and he died shortly afterwards.

**Hannigan Will Be Brought to Trial.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—A remarkable condition of affairs developed when the case of David P. Hannigan was called before Justice Ingraham inoyer and terminated. Assistant District Attorney John P. McIntyre rose and asserted that Hannigan is mentally unsound and not in condition to be tried for his life. Dr. W. J. O'Sullivan replied hotly that Hannigan was all right mentally at the present time, but that the defense claimed that he was insane at the time of the shooting. He demanded that the trial proceed. As a compromise, Justice Ingraham put the Hannigan case down for trial on Wednesday next. Hannigan is the man who shot and killed Solomon H. Mann, the betrayer of his sister, Loretta Hannigan, a typewriter in Mann's Fifth avenue establishment.

### WILLIAM W. STOREY DEAD.

The Eminent American Sculptor, Artist and Poet.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The Times this morning announces that William Wetmore Storey, the American sculptor, died at Valhambrosa, at the residence of his daughter, the Marchesa Peruzzi. William Wetmore Storey, artist, sculptor and poet, was born at Salem, Mass., Feb. 12, 1819, and was the son of Joseph Storey, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, and the famous commentator on the constitution. He was graduated at Harvard in 1838, and its law department in 1840. He was admitted to the bar, and devoted his attention largely to the preparation of law reports and a treatise on contracts. At the same time he was a frequent contributor of both prose and verse to various periodicals. In 1848 his fondness for art led to his going to Italy, where he had ever since resided, devoting his attention chiefly to sculpture.

**Purifying Pittsburg.**  
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 8.—J. O. Brown, director of the department of public safety, who sat as judge in the investigation of charges of bribery, blackmail, etc., against certain police officials, has made a report to Mayor McKenna. He censures Chief of Police O'Mara and some of his subordinates, and makes a number of recommendations, among them that the detective force be divorced from the bureau of police, and that the employees be accorded the right of appeal before being discharged. Director Brown also announces that hereafter he will abandon his administrative policy and only enforce the law, which means a continual war upon the disorderly houses, gambling rooms, etc.

**Poisoned at a Wedding Feast.**  
SABULA, Ill., Oct. 8.—The singularly distressing illness among the guests at the wedding of John Taplaw and Anna Gage is still occupying the attention of the medical fraternity of this and other cities, but so far no physician has been able to correctly diagnose the disease. Three deaths have occurred and eight persons are confined to their beds, several of whom are not expected to live. These include S. E. Lay, mayor of Sabula, and John Taplaw, the bridegroom. It has transpired that meat cooked for the wedding had become tainted, the affair having been delayed for four days.

**Connecticut Town Elections.**  
NEW HAVEN, Oct. 8.—Yesterday was town election day in Connecticut, elections being held in 194 out of the 168 towns in the state. Norwich went Republican and in favor of license. In Putnam the license advocates had a majority of 144. In Waterbury Kidford, Democrat, is elected mayor. In Danbury the Democrats captured the selectmen's offices and the Republicans the remainder of the town ticket. License was voted by a majority of 600. In Huntington, which has been dry for two years, the vote for license was 412, against 490. The Republicans elected their town ticket.

**General Exata Still Belligerent.**  
SAN BLAS, Mex., Oct. 8.—General Antonio Exata, of San Salvador, who just arrived here from San Francisco, has issued a long manifesto written in Spanish. He says he will summon the legislature of 1894 that life, liberty, property, agriculture, trade and industries will be encouraged, and that he will especially establish enlightened education in the country. He says he will adopt the single gold standard of money, using the coins of the United States until such time as the country shall be able to issue its own coin.

**Eighteen Killed on the Rail.**  
BUTTELES, Oct. 8.—Two heavily laden passenger trains came into collision between New and Origines, about eight miles from this city, and most of the cars of both trains were wrecked. Eighteen persons were killed outright and a hundred injured, some fatally. Among the passengers were M. Bernaert, president of the chamber of deputies, his wife and her sister, Mme. Mouton. The latter was killed, and Mme. Bernaert was injured, though not seriously. M. Bernaert was unhurt.

**Bowman's Sentence Affirmed.**  
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 8.—The supreme court, sitting in Pittsburg, yesterday sustained the verdict of murder in the first degree rendered in the case of William Penn Bowman, aged 20 years, in this city. The condemned man was notified of the court's decision last evening. He was unmoved, and said he still hoped for the best. A strong effort will be made to have the board of pardons commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

**Valuable Lumber Destroyed by Fire.**  
GREEN BAY, Wis., Oct. 8.—At the docks of the Murphy Lumber company three-quarters of a million logs were swept away by fire yesterday. Out of 7,000,000 feet of select lumber on the dock 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 feet were destroyed, together with docks and a number of buildings. The loss is \$100,000. The fire was caused by a spark from a tug.

### NUGGETS OF NEWS.

It is now definitely settled that there will be no football game between Harvard and Yale this year.

At the socialist congress at Breslau yesterday Herr Liebknecht bitterly denounced Emperor William.

Billie and Addie Evert, sisters, aged 15 and 10 years, respectively, were burned to death by a lamp explosion at Woodlawn, Ala.

In the glove contest at Baltimore last night, between "Kid" McCoy and Abe (Ullman) McCoy won in the thirteenth round.

Six thousand citizens of Chattanooga gave a patriotic greeting to the old Liberty bell and its escort when it reached that city last evening.

The state of A. R. of Rhode Island has decided to erect a monument to the Roman Catholic soldiers of the state who fell in the civil war.

In an interview at Nashville ex-Speaker Crisp said: "I still favor the free coinage of silver, and think perhaps I may make a speech or two in Georgia on that line before congress meets."

## TO OPPOSE TAMMANY.

A Strong Union of Forces in New York City's Contest.

### A FUSION TICKET NOMINATED.

It Is Indorsed by Both the Republicans and the State Democrats in Their County Conventions, and Will Probably Split the German-American Reform Union.

New York, Oct. 8.—There was considerable excitement before the formal opening of the Republican county convention in Lytle hall last evening when the report was received that a fusion ticket had been decided upon, and that the nominating committee had agreed on the following candidates:

For register, Thomas F. Keating (State Democrat) county clerk, Thomas Z. Hamilton (Platt Republican); justices of the supreme court, Ernest Hall (Platt Republican), C. C. Bannan (Independent Republican) and Myer S. Isaacs (Republican and Good Government candidate); judges of the court of general sessions, Thomas Allison (Platt Republican) and John Pennington (State Democrat); city court justices, Henry C. Beatty (Platt Republican), Daniel O'Connell (State Democrat) and James W. Hayes (Republican).

The ticket was finally agreed upon at the conference at Republican headquarters, which lasted almost to the hour of holding the convention. It was a great disappointment to the "straight ticket men," as three places had been conceded to the State Democracy, one to the committee of fifty and one to the Good Government clubs. There were left but four Platt Republicans on the ticket, as James W. Hayes has not been identified with either faction. The Stockholders' independent county organization and the Jimmie O'Brien anti-Tammany Democracy were refused a place on the ticket. Edward Lauterbach, however, and the other Platt leaders expressed themselves as satisfied with the ticket.

The Republicans and State Democrats both held county conventions and formally placed in nomination the fusion ticket. It is expected that the German-American Reform union will indorse the ticket, because it excites plank of the State Democracy is indorsed. The plank charges Tammany Hall with responsibility for the existence of the present excise law, speaks of the sanctity of the Sabbath, and concludes:

"We favor, and will endeavor to secure, such modification of existing laws as will prevent blackmail, partiality and oppression, and will enable the city to determine for itself, by popular vote, whether the sale of food, beverages and other necessities shall be permitted on Sunday, during such hours and under such restrictions as will not interfere with religious observance and exercise."

### Trenton Pottery on Strike.

TRENTON, Oct. 8.—Every sanitary ware pottery in this city, with one or two exceptions, has been closed down, owing to a disagreement between the employees and manufacturers. The manufacturers last week posted notices, stating that the employees would be held responsible for defective ware up to the time it came from the glass kilns, and expressing an intention of hiring apprentices under the regular wage scale. The men continued to work under protest until yesterday, when the manufacturers were formally asked to modify their notice. They refused, and the men quit work, pending a decision by the national organization as to whether they should stand out against the manufacturers.

**The Charges Against Collector Herring.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Internal Revenue Collector Grant Herring, of the Senanton district, has been in Washington to see Commissioner Miller in connection with charges against the former that were filed by a Mr. Burke, formerly an income tax deputy in the office. While the specific nature of the charges cannot be ascertained, it is understood that they are of a personal nature and also reflect on Mr. Herring's management of his office. Commissioner Miller declined to say anything about the charges further than that they had been made and would be investigated.

**Inventors Should Face the Danger.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—General Flagler, chief of ordinance, has just received the report of Lieutenant Colonel F. H. Parker, who made an expert investigation of the accident at the Sandy Hook proving grounds on the 25th ult., in which the blowing out of the breech of a Canon rapid fire gun caused the death of two enlisted men and the wounding of three others. The expert finds that the firing pin of the new gun was too long and of defective shape. No one is found blameable, but it is suggested that hereafter the inventors be required to do their own firing.

**Probably a Cuban Cruiser.**  
BROOKLYN, Oct. 8.—The Spanish steamer Habana, owned by the Spanish Transatlantic company, and now undergoing extensive repairs at this basin, may have to explain her intentions to the federal government before she sails for Barcelona. On her spar deck are four rapid fire guns, while a large supply of rifles, revolvers and cartridges are stored away below. It is believed that she is intended for service against the Cubans.

### Attempt to Blow Up a Dwelling.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 8.—A dastardly attempt was made to blow up the house of Justice Henry Badles, of Cheshire, a town fourteen miles from here. Servants found three large dynamite cartridges on the piazza. The fuse had burned out without causing the intended explosion. The occupants included Justice Badles and several members of his family. The justice has been dealing vigorously with violators of the law.

**Dark Wrecked and Fire Drowned.**  
HAVANA, Oct. 8.—The Spanish bark Joven Lola has been wrecked near Rosario, on the Colorado reefs. Five of her crew were drowned, but the captain succeeded in swimming ashore.

## CHAMPIONS GET A GAME.

Baltimore Defeats Cleveland by a Score of 5 to 0.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8.—The champions tasted the sweetness of revenge yesterday by shutting the "Spiders" out without a run, thus, in a measure at least, getting even for the three defeats they met in Cleveland. The playing yesterday seems to indicate that the home team will make it three straight here, and that the seventh game of the Temple cup series will have to be played. More than 10,000 people saw the battle, and the enthusiasm was unbounded, so much so, in fact, that some of the rougher element forgot themselves and offered some indignities to the visitors. Paper balls, peanuts, one or two eggs, and finally a rock were thrown at them as they left their hotel for their grounds, and after reaching there they were hissed by a small part of the crowd, but this was frowned upon by the majority, and there were no further attempts at insult during the game.

It was purely a pitchers' contest, in which Esper had the best of it. Cuyper, though a bit wild, held the victors down to nine hits.

The fun getting began in the second, when Brodie got home on Cuyper's two-bagger to center, after having reached first on a force hit and second on Gleason's sacrifice. Two more were made in the third, McGraw and Keeler coming home on a hunt by McGraw, another by Keeler, a single by Jennings, a hit by Esper and a long fly by Brodie. This performance was duplicated in the seventh. Keeler going to first on balls, after two men were out, to third on Jennings' single and home on Kelly's single to left, which also brought Jennings across the plate. The visitors, as a rule, went out in one, two, three or four, and at no time did they seem dangerous. Score by innings:

Baltimore.....1 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 1  
Cleveland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

### Drunkness as a Defense.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Benjamin H. Milliken, of Tennessee, who is here to stand trial on charges of feloniously entering the house of ex-Senator Phillips, of North Carolina, and attempting an assault on Judge Phillips' daughter on July 4 last, told his side of the story for the first time yesterday. He says that he entered Judge Phillips' house on the evening named and gave his card to the servant, who carried it up stairs. He had been drinking heavily all day and had a bottle of whisky in his pocket, from which he took a drink in the absence of the servant. He immediately lost consciousness, and when he regained his senses found himself in a strange room. In his desire to escape quietly, and without recognition, he turned his hat and coat inside out and removed his shoes.

### The Stern Case Not Yet Settled.

BEHLIN, Oct. 8.—In spite of the official statement made in the lower house of the Bavarian parliament on Friday last to the effect that the application of Mr. Louis Stern, of New York, sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment and a fine of 600 marks for insulting Baron von Thuningen, deputy commissioner of the Spa at Kissingen, had been rejected, and the positive statement to the same effect made by the Bavarian minister here, it is asserted at the United States embassy, and positively stated by Mr. Louis Stern's lawyer, that the case has not yet been settled. Mr. Stern is still in Paris, although his family have sailed for New York.

### A Woman's Fatal Jump.

STROUD-BRIDGE, Pa., Oct. 8.—During the absence of her nurse, Mrs. John Knox Marshall, wife of a prominent Boston manufacturer, jumped from the third story window of Crossroads, a boarding house, at Delaware Water Gap, and sustained injuries which will cause her death. She fell a distance of twenty-five feet, striking on her head. Physicians found that she had broken one rib, cracked a shoulder blade and was internally injured. She was a victim of nervous prostration, and her act was probably the result of temporary insanity.

### Two Sailors Shot and Killed.

LEWIS, Del., Oct. 8.—Two unknown Swedish sailors were shot yesterday by the owners of a sturgeon skiff which was stolen from the Jersey shore of Delaware Bay about two weeks ago. The sailors, who were thought to have stolen the skiff, were overtaken in a thoroughfare between Cobbs' Island and Cape Charles, Va. They were called upon to surrender, but refused, and attempted to escape. The pursuers then opened fire. One of the sailors was instantly killed and the other died as the party reached the shore.

### Fears of a Car Famine.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 8.—Within the next sixty days there is likely to be a car famine on the western railways. The movement of the crops is already taxing some of the lines to their fullest capacity, and shippers are being urged to unload cars promptly. Although the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul has 28,000 freight cars, and several thousands more under lease, the system is 1,200 cars short already.

### To Float the Cristobal Colon.

HAVANA, Oct. 8.—Admiral Duas, commander of the Spanish naval forces here, left Havana yesterday on board the Spanish cruiser Contra Maestre for the Colorado reefs in order to personally direct the operations of trying to float the wrecked cruiser Cristobal Colon or, failing in this, to save her guns, etc.

### Three New Cardinals.

PARIS, Oct. 8.—The figure says that the next consistory will be the occasion of creating the following cardinals: Mgr. Ferrata, the papal nuncio at Paris; Mgr. Agliardi, the papal nuncio at Vienna, and Mgr. Stolfi, the papal delegate to the Roman Catholic church in the United States.

### Illinois Legislative Bribery.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 8.—The grand jury has made a final report and adjourned. They found but one bill for bribery in the legislative investigation, but there is evidence of several cases on which Chicago and Peoria grand juries can find indictments.

## THE FIGHTING GROUND.

Hot Springs May Secure the Corbett-Fitzsimmons Mill.

### A MISDEMEANOR IN ARKANSAS.

Citizens of Hot Springs Confident That There Will be No Further Interference Than the Imposition of Fines After the Contest Has Been Settled.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 8.—Martin Julian, representing Robert Fitzsimmons, and William A. Brady, for James J. Corbett, arrived in this city last night. Only Joe Vendie is looking to make up a quorum to settle the selection of the battle ground. It will be in from New York this evening. It is possible all the preliminaries will be arranged tonight, but more than likely they will not be until tomorrow. Bets have been accepted at odds of 4 to 5 that the fight would come off on Oct. 31. Maher is now putting in ten hours a day at Oak Cliff punching the bag, sparring with his trainer, running five miles and repeating, plunging in the lake and doing other developing acts.

The city has already received a hundred or so sporting men, who are here looking over the ground. W. W. Waters and W. Martin, of Hot Springs, Ark., a committee representing that city, are here arranging for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill to come off there, and will remain here until the details are settled upon. They quote the law of their state as applying to principals and participants in the ring, making prize fighting a misdemeanor, with a fine of \$1,000 to \$2,500 as the penalty. They say the contest will be pulled off there without question.

An Associated Press reporter asked Mr. Martin what course Governor Clarke would take in the matter.

"Upon this I can say that, under the law, the governor of the state has no power or authority to interfere except upon certain contingencies that cannot possibly arise in this case. Governor Clarke can be relied upon at all times and under all circumstances to see that the laws of the state are enforced, so far as authority to do so is invested in him by the laws and constitution of our state. His official action is equally beyond the influence of the puritan, the Pharisee or the outlaw. He will be dictated by no influences except his own sense of duty, and any one capable of defaming the duties of a governor, as defined by law, can forecast his line of action with greater certainty than by any other test."

"But suppose the governor should call a special session of the legislature, and recommend that prize fighting be made a felony?"

"Upon this point the views of the governor are so well known in our state that I feel that he would not take such action."

### HOT SPRINGS ENTHUSIASTIC.

No Opposition to the Prize Fight at the Arkansas Health Resort.

LITTLE ROCK, Oct. 8.—The possibility of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest being brought off at Hot Springs was the subject of much discussion in Little Rock today. It has all along been well known that Hot Springs was anxious to secure the big event, and the press of that city has been outspoken in favor of it. Just what steps have been taken by interested parties to bring the contest to Hot Springs is not known, but it is asserted here by people who profess to know what they are talking about that the contest will probably take place at the Arkansas resort.

Should the governor not interfere there is no doubt about the Hot Springs people being able to bring the contest off successfully, as there is no city ordinance against boxing, and the local authorities are favorable to the project. Mayor Waters being one of the committee now in Dallas. Mr. Martin, the other committeeman, is a well known leader and ex-prosecuting attorney of Garland county.

Should the committee be successful in bringing the match to Hot Springs it is believed that there will be no interference during the progress of the contest, but that when it is concluded the principals will be arrested and fined, according to law.

### Negro Prisoners Injured by Explosion.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 8.—Three negro prisoners in the city workhouse were seriously hurt yesterday afternoon while drilling out a blast of powder that had failed to go off in a blast in the City Rock quarry. "Pink" Streets had one eye and the side of his face blown out, and will die. Berry Howard and "Boots" Patterson each had an arm shattered and small bits of stone blown into their flesh in many places. They have a bare chance to live.

### Ohio's Free Silver Democrats.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 8.—The silver Democratic state central committee, of which A. W. Thurman is chairman and W. Durbin secretary, issues an address to the Democrats of Ohio, urging concentrated action looking to the control of the next national Democratic convention. The address declares that members of the legislature should be uncompromisingly pledged to vote in favor of an open party caucus for the naming of a United States senator and against the selection of any man who is not in favor of the free coinage of both gold and silver.

### The Bliss Poisoning Case.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—It is rumored among police headquarters that an important arrest has been made in connection with the Bliss poisoning case. The man supposed to have been arrested is Ferdinand Wilkes, who, it is said, will be used as a witness for the prosecution in the trial of Mrs. Bliss.

### Government Aid for Flood Victims.

HAVANA, Oct. 8.—The government has forwarded from \$5,000 to \$10,000 its subscription to the fund to assist the sufferers from the cyclone and flood in Vuelta Abajo. The losses of 100 more victims of the flood have been recovered.



# Scrambled Eggs

Take a small quantity of Cottolene and a little cream; warm in a frying pan. Break eggs in it and stir until slightly cooked. Serve hot. Use not more than two-thirds as much Cottolene as you would butter and be sure that you do not overheat it before dropping in the eggs. This is always essential in cooking with Cottolene. Genuine Cottolene is sold everywhere in tins with trade marks—"Cottolene" and "See it first in cotton-plant wreath"—on every tin. Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, CHICAGO, and Produce Exchange, NEW YORK.

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## ON HORSEBACK.

Wigglesworth Tries It and Blames His Wife For the Result.

"The minister's wife was here this afternoon," said Mrs. Wigglesworth. "Humph!" grunted Mr. Wigglesworth. "What kind of a show is she getting up now to help raise her husband's salary?" "They're going on a little family picnic to Pine Hill tomorrow," Mrs. Wigglesworth continued hesitatingly, "and want us to go with them. I told them I would ask you, but I didn't think you'd care to go."

"That's it!" cried Mr. Wigglesworth, jabbing his knife savagely into a biscuit. "Try to keep me out of all the fun you can. Keep Wigglesworth and wife in the office earning money so you can swell around in society wearing clothes—that's the way."

"No, no," Mrs. Wigglesworth went on, "that I could ride in the carryall with them, and that they would borrow Mr. Bindley's horse for you to ride—if you thought you—you could," she added doubtfully.

"Thought I could?" echoed Mr. Wigglesworth scornfully. "Why not? Ain't I as well able to ride a horse as any of your family? It may be some time since I was on a saddle, but I don't have to have none of you nor your ministers to show me how."

Neighbors looking out of windows next morning saw Mrs. Wigglesworth loading into the carriage, along with the minister and his wife, three baskets, four children and other concomitants of a family picnic. "Rejoiced to see you, Brother Wigglesworth," exclaimed the minister heartily as Mr. Wigglesworth came down the walk. "Nature is unusually propitious for our little outing, and our hearts should sing with gladness."

"That's so," Mr. Wigglesworth acknowledged. "Where's my horse?"

At that instant a boy appeared towing a long, gaunt animal once white in color, with a little whisp of mane and a tail of a bobbing character. He was a horse who held up his head and regarded the world with suspicion.

"What's that?" Mr. Wigglesworth asked loudly as he cared to with the minister present. "Why don't ye hold the horse still?" he said savagely to the boy at the end of the bridle.

"How kin I hold her still?" retorted the boy, about whom the horse now went revelling, closely followed by Mr. Wigglesworth. "Git on her back, an she'll stand still."

"Don't ye give me any of your sarge," said Mr. Wigglesworth, glaring at the boy. "Whoa—whoa, good horse!"

Several times Mr. Wigglesworth got a toe in the stirrup, but the instant he essayed to lift himself the horse would fling his little head of a tail and skip kitchingly away, while Mr. Wigglesworth would come at the end of the bridle would feel his arms yanked out of their sockets. When this performance had been repeated for the twentieth time, they gave heed to the advice which Mrs. Wigglesworth had for several minutes been earnestly promulgating.

"Fetch Ellery one of the kitchen chairs," she said, and the minister, solicitous for the success of the picnic dinner, went and got it.

"Now," he suggested, "perhaps I can assist you, Brother Wigglesworth. If you will stand in the chair, the boy and I will push the horse up to you, and doubtless you can then mount with ease."

It wasn't a very horsemanlike proceeding, but the forenoon was waning, and Mr. Wigglesworth, with a hot, red face, angrily agreed to it.

"I'll take it out of him when I get him on the road," he muttered, with an awful air of revenge, as he stood up in the chair.

It was a successful maneuver. Flanking the gaunt steed, the minister pushed him gently toward the waiting Wigglesworth, who slipped a leg over the saddle before the astonished animal realized the confidence game that was being played upon him. Just at that instant Mrs. Wigglesworth had climbed out of the carriage in an earnest desire to lend assistance. Flinging his head around with a little gust of disappointment, the horse saw her close upon him waving her parasol, and with a loud snort he waltzed across to the opposite sidewalk at Mr. Wigglesworth clutched wildly at his scanty mane and poking his feet madly about in vain search of the stirrups.

"What ye doing?" he yelled as the horse flattered nervously against the fence. "What kind of a fool you trying to act out this time?"

"I didn't mean to do anything," answered Mrs. Wigglesworth, alarmed and frightened. "I was only going to help, and the horse saw me and—jumped."

"Well, what ye expect?" cried Mr. Wigglesworth angrily. "What ye s'pose he'd do when he saw you? Wonder he hadn't dashed my lungs out on a telephone pole—get out—keep away, can't ye?" he yelled as his wife came nearer, uttering some coaxing phrases and putting out a hand to soothe the agitated beast.

"When, good little horse!" she said in sugary tones.

"Get away!" shouted Mr. Wigglesworth as the horse, unwon by these blandishments, ground his rider's leg against a fence post. "What ye doing with that blue-eyed red umbrella. Put it up, can't ye?"

There are many inconvertible things in this life, and Mr. Wigglesworth always has maintained that his wife is one of them. When he shouted for her to put up the red sunshade that she was nervously fluttering in her hand, she put it up. Only she did it the other way. As its circular form flamed forth with a crackling noise the gaunt steed, already overwrought with the confusion and loud shouting, gathered his feet under him and bolted around the corner.

Summer visitors out for a morning stroll were surprised to see a long, bony horse flailing by wearing a rider who apparently was unconscious to that style of locomotion. The rider's feet were thrust through the stirrups to their ankles, and his trousers were worked up nearly to the knee. At every third bound of the horse, a bound shorter and more skippy than the other two, the rider would go into the air so that people of quick eyesight standing behind could look under him and catch a glimpse of the town clock. Then he would come down again—sometimes on the horse's neck and sometimes on the point of the saddle.

After this section of the parade had gone by and quiet was settling down the bystanders were again startled with an apparition of a large, old-fashioned carryall filled with white faced children, lunch baskets and three grown people. A clerical looking gentleman in spectacles and without a hat was urging forward the astonished looking horse, spurring him on with loud words of encouragement and staring steadfastly ahead with a countenance upon which horror sat, while a faintly looking woman clung on the rear seat and aimlessly brandished a red umbrella.—W. O. Fuller, Jr., in New York Recorder.

## POWERS OF A BISHOP.

Futile Attempt to Curtail Them at the Episcopal Convention.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 8.—Both Boston and Atlanta presided invitations to the Episcopal convention, now in session here, to hold the convention of 1898 within their borders. Both were referred to committee without comment. There was a sharp debate in the house of deputies over a proposition to put a check on the house of bishops by requiring that it should act on all matters of legislation coming from the house of deputies within three days, or the same would go into effect without the bishops' sanction. The resolution was introduced by Deputy Bishop, of Pennsylvania. Several amendments were voted down, as was the little resolution, and the bishops will be left without restraint. Another debate came over the taking from the calendar of a resolution thinking the bishops for their pastoral letter of 1891. A parliamentary tangle for twenty minutes ensued, and the final entire matter was laid on the table.

The deputies spent the entire afternoon in debate, and the only action on record is that they decided to heretofore call an assistant bishop, bishop-coadjutor. This is in accordance with the desires of the revision commission.

## Bannock Indians' Revenge.

IDAHO FALLS, Idaho, Oct. 8.—J. W. Wilson, a scout and courier for the United States troops stationed in Granite Canyon, arrived here and reported the killing of Captain Smith and two companions by Indians in the lower end of Jackson's Hole on Thursday morning. Captain Smith was the man who precipitated the Indian fight last July in the Jackson's Hole country. At that time he killed one or two Indians, and was himself shot in the breast, but recovered. The Indians then swore vengeance.

## Austria's Minister Satisfied.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Oct. 8.—The reports of murders and evictions during the strike last year reached the Austrian government in exaggerated form, and prompted Emperor Francis Joseph to order an investigation through his representatives in this country. Baron Hengemuller, the Austrian minister at Washington, the Austrians minister at the Jackson's Hole country, and says he will report to his government that he thinks the miners are well provided for. He will also deny that there were any atrocities during the strike last year.

## Shot Into a Crowded Dance Hall.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 8.—While the neighbors at Avon, a wood camp thirty miles west of here, were having a dance, a man named Jack Caddick opened fire on the room full of people with a revolver. He instantly killed Jason Luncford, a peaceful and respected citizen, and shot Tom Thomas through the shoulder. He fired several more shots that flew wild. Preparations were making to lynch him when he was landed in jail.

## Killed His Wife and Himself.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 8.—At Vernon, Lawrence county, thirty-five miles west of here, George Napper shot and killed his wife and ended his own life by the same proceeding. Mrs. Napper had filed divorce proceedings and refused to longer live with him. Eight children are left orphans. Napper was a money lender.

## Fatal Riot Among Boatmen.

TONAWANDA, N. Y., Oct. 8.—One man was killed and another badly wounded here in a riot among boatmen over the question of loading a boat at Scrubber's dock. About 150 men were involved in the riot, and several pistol shots were fired. Captain Phillips, owner of the boats John Graft and May, was shot in the head as he stood upon his boat, and he died soon afterward. Phillips' son was struck on the head with a club and knocked insensible. It is believed his skull is fractured and death will ensue. Phillips tried to load his boat out of turn, and the other boatmen objected.

## Police Prevent Prize Fighting.

DAYTON, N. J., Oct. 8.—The Active Athletic association, after months of preparation, announced that their new club house would be opened last night with three contests, the principal of which was twenty round go at catch weights between Young Griffo, of Australia, and Kid Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich. Fully 4,000 persons made their way by rail and water to the club house, and they were greatly disappointed when Manager Early informed them that the police authorities had decided not to allow the bouts to go on. The bouts have been indefinitely postponed.

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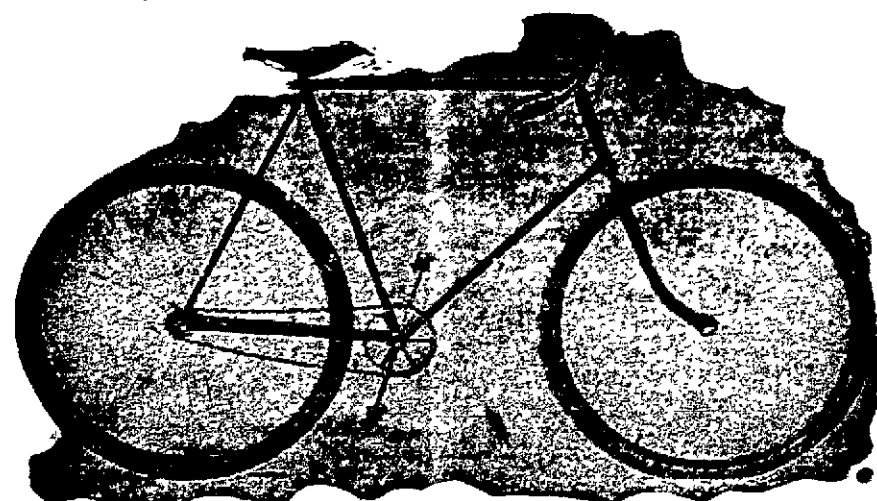
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## THE RATTLESNAKE.

COMMON ERRORS REGARDING ITS FIGHTING ABILITIES.

Doesn't Have to Coil Before Striking and Kills by a Blow—Quickly Replaces Lost Fangs—He Will Not Go Out of His Way to Attack Anything.

"Nobody was ever bitten by a rattlesnake, and nobody ever will be," said a man who has studied them. "And the reason is the best that could possibly be. A rattlesnake can't bite. It isn't likely that any creature that lives and is provided with teeth and jaws has less power of biting. The snake's jaws are not hinged. They are attached to each other by an elastic cartilage. Thus the snake has no leverage whatever in closing one jaw against the other, and if it attempted to inflict injury by biting it couldn't so much as pierce the skin. The fangs of a rattlesnake are driven into the flesh by a stroke, not a bite, as is well shown by the fact that punctures are made only by the armament of the upper jaw. The lower jaw has nothing to do with the act. A man striking a boat hook into a log is an exact representation of the manner in which the rattlesnake bites. So whenever any one tells you about some one else being bitten by a rattlesnake, tell him it isn't so. You'll win. It is an impossibility for a rattlesnake to bite.

"But although the rattlesnake can't bite, if you're fooling around in a country where he is spending the summer, you want to keep your eye peeled. And there is one particular thing you don't want to forget. It is a common and widespread fallacy that a rattlesnake is entirely harmless so long as he is uncoiled. I believed that once and found out by a startling personal experience that it wasn't so. It is true that when a rattlesnake is stretched at full length, with the muscles extended to the utmost, he could not strike an inch forward, but from that position he can strike backward his full length and with lightninglike velocity. One day I dropped a big stone on the head of a big rattler that lay in this position, crushing the head, the stone lying partly on the head. After gazing for some time at the quivering reptile so suddenly taken from life, I stooped down to remove his rattles. I had no sooner touched his rattle than his mutilated head flew back, and almost grazing my cheek struck the sleeve of my coat just below the shoulder, where both fangs were buried, pulling out of the jaw and remaining in the sleeve as the snake fell back to the ground. They had not missed my cheek by more than a hair's breadth. With precaution I have made that test of a rattlesnake's capacity of striking in that way many times since then, and the snake always struck. The instinct is so strong in this reptile that I have known a rattlesnake after its head was severed from its body to strike back fiercely with its bleeding stump the instant its tail was touched.

"But the typical position of the rattlesnake when intent on deadly assault is the coil. This is not always a symmetrical spiral, but the body is massed in more or less regular folds, the muscles are contracted, and the reptile is literally an animate set spring. From this position the rattler can spring from one-half to two-thirds of his length. Before the stroke the mouth is opened wide, the fangs falling down from their sockets in the upper jaw and standing firmly in their position. The head is thrust forward, the half coils below it being straightened out to lengthen the neck and to give power to the strike. There is no preliminary motion. The stab is made with abrupt swiftness that defies escape of the victim. There is but one strike. The snake passes back into its coil again with the same swiftness that it threw it off. As the fangs enter the flesh the venom is injected. If the thing struck at is beyond the rattler's reach, the snake has the power of squirting its venom in jets, which it can do to a distance of four feet or more. "Sometimes a rattlesnake loses its fangs in the flesh of the object it strikes, but that does only temporary damage to its deadly armory. There are plenty of incipient fangs lying in the jaw, only waiting for a chance like that to come forward and be in line for business. They grow very fast, and in the course of two or three days a rattlesnake that has lost its fangs is refitted with a brand new pair. This is a good thing to remember, for it is the popular belief that a rattlesnake made harmless by extracting its venom fangs. The only way to render one of these reptiles harmless, besides killing it, is to apply red-hot iron to the cavities left by the fangs. This will destroy all the vitality of these dangerous parts, and new fangs will not come in.

"The rattlesnake never pursues his prey; he waits. He will not go out of his way to attack anything. He will invariably keep on his course if not cornered or teased. You may step within four inches of a rattlesnake and will not be disturbed by it if you keep right on your way. By it stop, the snake at once will take it for a challenge and hit you only too quick. It is said, as if by authority, that the rattlesnake never sounds his rattle until he has coiled. If that is so, rattlesnakes that I have seen must have been freaks, for they have rattled when lying at full length and even when moving, as well as in their coils. The rattler, when traveling, will cross lakes and streams, and he swims with his head and his rattles raised well above the water. The force with which a rattlesnake can strike is such that I once teased one into striking at a piece of belting at least a quarter of an inch thick, and he sent his fangs clear through it."—New York Sun.

## Heavy Freight.

Landlord (apologetically)—This elevator seems to run a little slow just now.

Guest—Oh, that's all right. The guest's clerk on board with one of the guest's bills.—Chicago Record.

## A LUCKY SNEEZE.

It Came Just In Time to Make M. X. a Spanish Minister.

The writer of "Secrets In Spain" tells in the pages of The New Review how ministers were sometimes made under the regime of Queen Isabella of Spain. Perhaps the most remarkable instance is that of a man who was made minister for sneezing.

The story is as follows: M. X. had gone one day to pay a casual visit to one of his friends. To his surprise he found his friend very much occupied. "Excuse me," said he, "I am very busy today. But if you have nothing to do come along with me." "Where are you going?" "I have been summoned to the palace." They set off together. At the palace one was conducted to the presence of the queen, while the other waited in the anteroom. There was a lengthy sitting in the queen's cabinet, a new minister being in course of formation.

It was very cold and drafty in the anteroom, and the man who was waiting began to grow very impatient, as he felt a cold in the head coming on. "Whom shall we appoint to the exchequer? Whom to the Fomento? Whom to the war department?" asked the queen. Gradually after much discussion the ministry was built up bit by bit. There was now only the colonial minister to be appointed. "I must have a colonial minister," said the queen. "Whom shall we appoint colonial minister?" No one could be thought of. All at once a loud sneeze was heard in the anteroom. "Who is that sneezing in the anteroom?" asked the queen. "M. X." "M. X.!" The very man—the very man for the colonial minister! Tell M. X. to come in.

That is how M. X. became colonial minister—for having sneezed.

## Keep Their Secrets Well.

The French keep the secrets of their ammunition wonderfully. Their powder gives excellent results, but its composition is still unknown, and their dynamite shells for the navy and field artillery have not yet been imitated by any other country. The best French naval experts believe that only quick firing guns, using high explosive shells will be of any use in the next naval engagement. They contend that these shells will abolish armor as armor tends to increase the effect of bursting shells. The first thing our new government will have to do will be to provide our navy with quick firing guns and shells that shall be effective. It is not denied that in both these particulars the French at the present moment are far ahead of us.—Saturday Review.

## The A. D. Mayo.

The Rev. Dr. A. D. Mayo, in a recent interesting address, quoted James Walker, a former president of Harvard, as saying, "The creation will die with Mr. Robert C. Winthrop." But the oration in no sense died with Mr. Winthrop. What is more, the oration, we may be sure, will never die until human nature is fundamentally different from what it is at present. It is the fashion nowadays to sneer at eloquence. One might as well sneer at music or poetry. Walker's reference to Winthrop was fine, considered as a compliment. Taken literally, it will not hold water. It recalls an assertion made by Mr. Howells a few years ago that the stories had all been told. In fact, hasty generalizers are always with us. People are more critical than they used to be, they are more easily bored, they have less time for anything than they ever had before. Nevertheless the man who has a genius for oratory, the man who knows how to say it—who can say it with a silver tongue—is a perennial. He will always command an audience. He will always command wealth.

## Mozart.

Mozart had a memory for music and for nothing else. On attending the papal mass at the Sistine chapel he was greatly impressed with the musical service and asked for a copy, but was told none could be given him, as the music was not allowed to go out. He went to the next service, listened attentively, went away and wrote down the whole from memory. When "Don Giovanni" was first performed, there was not time to copy a part for the harpsichord, so Mozart conducted the entire opera, about three hours long, and played a harpsichord accompaniment to the songs and choruses without a note of music to assist his memory.

## Victim of a Brutal Husband.

NEW HAVEN, July 19.—Mrs. Alice Colombe, 30 years old, lies at the point of death in Bethany, near this city, with both arms, left thigh and right hand broken and terrible scalp wounds. Her husband has been ill treating her for some time past. When officers were sent to his house to arrest him he drove them away at the muzzle of a rifle, and returning to his wife clubbed the weapon and struck her the murderous blows with the stick. Colombe, who is now in jail, claims that his wife was unfaithful. The couple came from Holyoke, Mass., six months ago. The woman will die.

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## A FAMOUS POEM.

Interesting Facts About the Author of "Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight."

The million more or less of schoolboys and girls past and present who have begun their elocutionary efforts with the recitation of "Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight" will be specially interested in something about the author of the poem and how she came to write it. The author is Mrs. Rose Hartwick Thorpe.

Mrs. Thorpe was born at Mishawaka, Ind., in 1830, and was the daughter of William Hartwick. In 1861 the family moved to Litchfield, Mich. Her parents were poor, and her childhood and young womanhood were passed in a dull and prosaic atmosphere, and there was nothing in her early education or surroundings to "charm the muses" or kindle the fire of poetry.

Mrs. Thorpe wrote "Curfew," her best and most widely known production, when she was 16 years old. This was in 1867. Some copies of Peterson's Magazine had come into her possession. In one of these she found the story of Besse and her lover. The thrilling incident of the brave young English girl deeply



ROSE HARTWICK THORPE.

impressed her. She could not banish from her mind the words "curfew must not ring tonight." The inspiration to write came when she was in the schoolroom, attempting to solve a mathematical problem. Sweeping the prosaic figures from her slate she wrote "England's sun was setting," etc., and the poem was soon completed. It was first published in 1870 in the Detroit Commercial Advertiser over the signature of Rose Hartwick. The editor wrote her a letter of thanks, which is all the remuneration she has ever received for the poem, though it has been printed in thousands of publications in this country and England and been declaimed by legions of youthful orators on two continents.

Mrs. Thorpe is an attractive woman, tall and slender, with dark brown eyes and hair. She was married in 1871 to Edmund C. Thorpe. Hillsdale (Mich.) college conferred the honorary degree of master of arts upon her in 1888. The family now reside at Pacific Beach, San Diego, Cal., where they are pleasantly domiciled in a charming home called Rosemere.

## An Irish Student's Reply.

An Irish student, who some years ago attended the university of Edinburgh, called upon one of the most celebrated teachers of the German lute, desiring to know on what terms he would give him a few lessons. The lute player informed him that he generally charged 2 guineas for the first month and 1 guinea for the second. "Then, by my soul," replied the cunning Hibernian, "I'll come in the second month."

## Use It in Time.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes, ears and throat and is in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh, causing, an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucus discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow, such as bad breath, severe pain across forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amy R. Gallows, late of the town of Monroe, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at their respective places of residence, in the town of Blooming Grove, Orange county, N. Y., or 137 South Street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of March next.

GEO. W. GALLOWAY, Executors.  
Dated Goshen, N. Y., Sept. 17, 1905.  
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**WE SELL YOU A SUIT**

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that we would like you to see. No charge for showing goods here. We have added to our stock a new line of Gents' Furnishings. All the latest style Hats and Neckties; would like you to see them also. Give us a call.

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beautiful play,

SHORE ACRES!

presented with entire new scenery, original mechanical effects and properties, under the direction of

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257 nights in New York city,

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## October Grand Clearance Sale.

During the month of October, to reduce stock and make room for fall goods, we will offer some rare bargains at the following prices: Solid oak rocker, plush or tapestry seat \$1.89; large oak rocker, with arms, \$2.89; large rattan rocker \$4.75, that can't be duplicated for \$6. We have some misfit Carpets a woolingrains and brussels, from 25 cents per yard up. Ask to see our solid oak dining room set, consisting of solid oak side board, square oak extension table and 6 oak high back chairs for \$25. These are only a few prices that are in order in all departments, Furniture, Carpets, Crochery Lamps, etc. Respectfully,

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44-46 North St.,  
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**KEEP YOUR HANDS SMOOTH AND WHITE**  
A few drops of McMonagle & Rogers' Orange Flower Balm applied at night will do it in spite of October breezes. For 25 years it has been a favorite with young and old, an indispensable toilet requisite. We are sole makers of Orange Flower Balm, 25 cents a bottle. McMonagle & Rogers, Drug-gists.

**THAT LANA OIL SOAP**  
which we are selling is such a grand success that we'll mention it again. It's the best value in soap we've ever seen. Lana Oil is the fat from sheep's wool, purified, and is healing qualities are well known. Lana Oil Soap is perfectly neutral (that makes it non-irritating), finely perfumed and handsomely wrapped. Price 10c a cake—25c a box. How it has knocked out the old high priced kinds. Get the genuine as sold by McMonagle & Rogers, Drug-gists.

**FOR THAT TICKLING IN THE THROAT**, which causes such an irritating cough, McMonagle & Rogers' Throat Lozenges are excellent. 10 cents a box. McMonagle & Rogers, Drug-gists.

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We are showing the most complete line of Infants' Long and Short Winter Coats ever shown by us. Prices from \$1.25 to \$6.

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## THE ARGUS.

**OPEN EVENINGS.**  
THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

**WEATHER INDICATIONS.**  
BY UNITED PRESS.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 8.—Fair, Wednesday, cooler, northerly winds and probably fair, slightly warmer, Thursday.

**THE TEMPERATURE.**  
The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:  
7 a. m., 54°; 12 m., 53°; 3 p. m., 54°.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
—Registration days Oct. 11, 12, 13, 14.  
—Orange Flower Balm 25 cents at McMonagle & Rogers.  
—Sweet potatoes 25 cents a peck at D. F. Todd's.  
—"American goods for American people." See adv. of Economy store.  
—Races at Pine Bush Thursday, Oct. 17th.  
—Special meeting of Excelsior H. and L. Co. Officers and overcoats for sale at 46 East Main street.

**LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.**  
—You will find ice in the morning.  
—Merchants in villages along the O. and W. are paying \$3 and \$4 a bushel for chestnuts.  
—A special meeting of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will be held this evening.  
—Gorton's minstrel troupe passed through this city, to-day, in a special car on the O. and W., on their way to Ellenville.

—All members of Martha Washington Lodge, No. 30, are requested to be present at its meeting, to-night.  
—The big locomotive which has been doing duty in the yard, in this city, for some time, has been called in and engine No. 99, one of the old timers, has been put in its place.  
—Partridges must be numerous in the vicinity of Norwich. The Telegram tells of two citizens who found wounded birds in their back yards, a night or two ago, which they killed and ate.

—The "Tourists" evening with Shakespeare, announced for Tuesday, Oct. 9th, at the residence of Mr. F. O. Tompkins, has been postponed to Thursday, Oct. 10th, on account of the indisposition of Mrs. Anna Randall Diehl.

—Several head of cattle were found dead in two overcrowded cattle cars, which arrived in this city via the O. and W., to-day. An empty cattle car was procured and some of the stock was transferred from each car, thus giving the animals more room in which to move about.

—It is understood that the Mayor will appoint his efficient lieutenant, Mr. W. F. Bailey, to succeed Mr. Bastian as Alderman from the Fourth Ward. Mr. Bailey has sat up nights with the aldermen long enough to know all about municipal affairs and ought to make a good alderman, but we would be sorry to see him get into bad company.

**PERSONAL.**  
—Mr. S. S. Van Saus, of Warwick, was in town, to-day.  
—Mr. John Haley, of New York, is in town visiting relatives and friends.  
—The condition of Mr. James N. Pronk remains the same as it has been for several days.

—Miss Gertrude Watkins, of Brewsters, is visiting at the residence of Mrs. Charles Clark, No. 4 Low Block.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Nearing, of Smyrna, N. Y., are visiting at the home of F. D. Nearing, on West Main street.

—Maj. W. M. Combs, D. D. G. M. of the Tenth Masonic District, will pay an official visit to Stony Point Lodge, No. 313, at Haverstraw, tomorrow evening.

—Conductor Jesse Smith, of the Crawford train, spent Sunday with his family in Matamoras. Conductor Wilbur Hartwell, of Goshen, took charge of his train.

—Mr. Isaiah Jones, who had his spine injured in an accident on the New England road, was to-day removed from Thrall Hospital to his home. It is feared that his injuries are permanent.

—Mrs. T. A. Weller and daughter, Miss Ina, left town, this morning, on Erie train for Montrose, Pa., to attend the wedding of Mrs. Weller's cousin, Miss Byrnes, daughter of Mr. A. B. Byrnes, a prominent druggist of that place.

**THE SPECIAL ELECTION.**  
Taxpayers Voting on a New School Building.  
The special election of the taxpayers on the proposition to appropriate \$60,000 for a new high school building is being held at the Corporation Rooms, this afternoon.

There is a general sentiment in favor of the appropriation.  
One hundred votes were cast in the first hour and crowds were in the room, doing missionary work for and against the proposition.  
The polls will be open until 8 o'clock, to-night. This is a matter of public interest on which every taxpayer should give expression to his opinion by casting his ballot.

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## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

Winning Candidates Named To-day—W. H. Crane, for surrogate; L. W. Y. McCroskey, for District Attorney; Philip Power, for Treasurer.

The Democratic County Convention, which met in Music Hall, Goshen, at noon, to-day, was called to order by Mr. S. D. Roberson, of Crawford, Chairman of the County Committee.

Hon. Grant B. Taylor, of Newburgh, was elected chairman. M. S. Mullen, of Newburgh, and W. L. Clark, of Deerpark, were appointed to escort Mr. Taylor to the Chair.

B. B. Sayer, of Warwick; Henry Kohl, of Newburgh; and Thomas Fulton, of Blooming Grove, were elected secretaries and tellers.

The officers of the convention were sworn in by G. F. Ketcham, of Warwick.

The convention then adjourned until 2 o'clock.

On the re-assembling of the convention Chas. Ketcham, of Cornwall, nominated Hon. W. H. Crane, of Port Jervis, for Surrogate.

Mr. E. S. Puff, of Crawford, named Hon. Russell C. Coleman.

Mr. Henry Bacon in a felicitous speech urged the nomination of Mr. Crane, and on his motion it was made by acclamation.

For District Attorney Hon. M. N. Kane, of Warwick, moved the nomination by acclamation of L. W. Y. McCroskey, of Newburgh, and the motion was carried unanimously.

For County Treasurer, Thos. Finan, of Goshen, moved the nomination by acclamation of Mr. P. A. Power, of Goshen, and it was unanimously carried.

For Superintendent of the Poor J. H. Board, of Chester, and A. Ram H. Mar, of Goshen, were placed in nomination and an informal ballot was ordered, which resulted as follows:  
J. H. Board ..... 33  
A. H. May ..... 30  
H. G. Horton ..... 10  
E. S. Puff ..... 4  
C. B. Wood ..... 6

The formal ballots resulted as follows:  
Board ..... 52  
May ..... 25  
Wood ..... 12

Mr. Board's nomination was made unanimous.

Mr. Louis J. Stare, of Warwick, was nominated for Special Surrogate by acclamation.

For Coroners—Frank Flynn, of Goshen, and Nicholas Pfann, of Port Jervis, were nominated by acclamation.

**To Be Married in New York.**

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Bertha, daughter of Ex-Alderman and Mrs. Chas. Wolff, of this city and Mr. Leon Barnett of Amsterdam, N. Y., on Tuesday, Oct. 22. The ceremony will take place at Vienna Hall in 53rd street, New York City.

**Run Over by a Truck.**

Arthur Griggs, son of W. T. Griggs, the carman, met with a serious accident, yesterday afternoon. He was riding on his father's truck when it was run into by another wagon and the shock of the collision knocked him from the wagon under the wheels of the other vehicle, which ran over both legs.

**A Cake Walk and Dance.**

A cake walk and dance will be held at Nicholson's Hall in the North End, on the evening of the fire parade. Prof. Henderson will be in charge.

**A Horse Injured.**

One of the team of grey horses belonging to Busman E. L. Coburg was badly injured this morning, by stepping upon the soft earth filling of a ditch, which had been dug on East Main street near William street. The horse sunk several feet in the ditch and was extricated with difficulty.

**Wedding Invitations Out.**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bull have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Annie May, to Dr. Daniel Bailey Hardenburgh, at the Second Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, Oct. 21st, at 6 o'clock. A reception will follow at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 48 South street. Dr. and Mrs. Hardenburgh will be at home at No. 7 Orchard street, Dec. 19th and 20th and Jan. 2.

**"SHORE ACRES"**

The Great Dramatic Success of Recent Years the Next Casino Attraction.

"Shore Acres," the beautiful pastoral play that made such a pronounced hit here last season, will be produced at the Casino, Saturday evening.

The scenes of this comedy are laid in the village of Berry, near Bar Harbor, Maine, and the author, James A. Herne, lived there during two summers, making a study of the characters he has made so popular throughout the country. A well known society leader in New York who had been to a performance of "Camille" said: "I cried and was miserable all the time." She saw "Shore Acres," and said: "I cried and was happy all the time."

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## DOINGS OF THE FIREMEN.

Business Transacted at the Regular Monthly Meetings of the Firemen Last Night—Preparing for the Parade.

The fire companies held their regular monthly meetings, last night, and business was transacted as follows:

**EXCELSIOR HOOK AND LADDER CO., NO. 1.**  
Dr. D. H. Sprague, Dr. H. W. Rowland, N. D. Mills and Frank H. Scoonmaker were elected active members. The 21st Separate Company Band has been engaged for the annual parade, Thursday.

**MONROE HOSE CO., NO. 1.**

The resignation of Mr. I. Scudder as an active member was accepted. The company voted not to keep open house on Wednesday night. The Amity Band has been secured for Thursday's parade. The company will drill this evening.

**EAGLE HOSE COMPANY, NO. 2.**

John W. Drennon was elected an active honorary member. Routine business was transacted.

**WQUID ENGINE CO., NO. 3.**

The company voted to open their parlors to the public for inspection Wednesday evening. A festival and dance will be held at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening. The Erie Band, of Port Jervis, has been secured for the firemen's parade.

**PHOENIX ENGINE CO., NO. 4.**

At the meeting of Phoenix Hose Co., No. 4, J. C. Halleck and M. F. Beebe were elected members. Wm. Maier was elected an active honorary member. The company will give a hop at the truck house on Thursday night.

**ONTARIO HOSE CO., NO. 5.**

President A. E. Ludington resigned from the company. His successor has not yet been selected. The company will open its rooms for inspection Wednesday evening. The Wurtsboro Band will furnish music for the parade. After the parade the company will dine at the truck house, at the invitation of the Ladies' Auxiliary. A dance will be held in the evening.

**WALKHILL ENGINE CO., NO. 6.**

Thomas J. Morris was elected an honorary member. The Chester Band will furnish music for the parade. The Ladies' Auxiliary will serve a supper at the truck house after the parade. The truck house will be open for inspection Wednesday evening.

**A New Coal Yard.**

The coal switch and dumps of I. R. Drake & Co., of Johnson, on Genung street, in this city, have been completed and are now ready for use. They have a capacity of 250 tons. The switch is connected with the N. Y. S. and W. road.

**Held for the Grand Jury.**

Officer Loreaux, of Port Jervis, who shot and killed John Doty, was yesterday held to await the action of the Grand Jury. He will be taken to Goshen jail as soon as he recovers sufficiently from the injuries he received at Doty's hands.

**A Missionary Convention.**

Mrs. Charles Beattie, Mrs. A. V. Boak and several other members of the Women's Missionary Society, of the Hudson River Presbytery, went to Port Jervis, this morning, to attend the semi-annual meeting of the society in that village, to-day.

**Victim Dead—Murderer at Large.**

Justice Newburger, of Tatton, Pike County, Pa., who was shot by O. Housmann, died, Sunday night.

The murderer is still at large, the county officials refusing to pay the money necessary for his capture. The people of that section are all armed as they fear to meet Housmann.

**Bought a Trout Stream.**

O. M. Cleveland, of Newburgh, has purchased a tract of land near DeBruce, Sullivan county, over two miles long which includes the "Big Spring," a stream leading from it to the Little Mongaup and a mile and three quarters of the latter stream. The Mongaup is a famous trout stream.

**Banished for a Year.**

John Kane, an old offender, was arrested on Highland avenue for intoxication. Upon his promise to leave town for one year he was released.

**August Health Statistics.**

The following is the bulletin of the State Board of Health of vital statistics in this locality for August:

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Warwick	6,000	1	1.00
Montgomery	2,251	7	10.00
Goshen	1,646	11	28.75
Ellenville	3,000	5	30.00

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## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

### AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees—Mayor Hook's Improved Health—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the corporation rooms, last night. A number of bills were audited. The Board extends thanks to parties who kindly allowed the use of conveyances on parade day. No other business of importance was transacted.

The mineral springs of Mount Clement, Michigan, have proved very beneficial to Mayor R. B. Hook. He is entirely cured of his rheumatism and his stomach trouble is much improved.

A basket of pears was found outside the post office, this morning. The owner can have what remains of them by calling at the post office.

Mrs. Frank Crowell is visiting friends and relatives in Albany.

It is stated that Mr. H. A. Walker will open a five and ten cent variety store, on or about next Saturday, in the rooms recently occupied by Mrs. James Scott, the milliner, on Greenwich street.

The Newburgh District Epworth League convention will be held in this village, next Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. H. Mills has gone to Huntington, L. I., where he will act as judge at a trotting meeting to be held there this week.

A very interesting article on the fires in the Dr. Wood's Lands appeared in Sunday's New York Sun. It was from the pen of Mr. E. H. Mott, who has been spending several weeks at Goshen working on the "History of the Erie Railroad."

Mrs. Sarah E. J. Myers, widow of the late John Myers, died at her residence in this village at 1 o'clock, this morning, aged forty-nine years, ten months. She was born in Philadelphia, Pa., and has been a resident of Goshen for twenty-two years.

**An O. and W. Fireman Loses an Ear.**

While Arthur Townsend, an O. and W. fireman, was running his engine into the Norwich round house, Saturday afternoon, he poked his head out of the window of the cab and it came in contact with a post near the track with such force as to sever his left ear. Dr. Stuart, who called to attend him, was able to save only part of the injured member.

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**Resigned His Charge.**

The Brooklyn Times says that Dr. J. H. Gunnitz on Sunday last, resigned his charge of the Bedford avenue Baptist Church.

Dr. Gunnitz was at one time pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city.

**Weak and Nervous**

Describes the condition of thousands of people at this season. They have no appetite, cannot sleep, and complain of the prostrating effect of warmer weather. This condition may be remedied by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which creates an appetite and tones up all the organs. It gives good health by making the blood pure.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache.

**Best Blood Purifier.**

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills for the last seven or eight years. I regard Hood's Sarsaparilla as the best blood purifier and it does me more good than any other medicine."—E. J. SCHROEDERS, 221 East 51st street, New York, N. Y.

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### The Long Drought Broken.

The long expected and welcome rain began falling at 5:30 o'clock, this morning, and though the precipitation has not been great, it has sufficed to moisten the surface of the parched earth and holds forth the promise of more abundant rains to come.

### Arrived Ahead of Time.

It was predicted that a cold wave moving eastward would be felt in this section to-night and to-morrow. The aforesaid wave arrived ahead of time, and about 10 o'clock this morning there was a sharp decline in the temperature and the air seemed full of suggestions of snow.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

## FLAG BUNTING

FOR

Our Firemen and Their Friends, who Want to Decorate Along the Line of March Next Thursday.

We have 35 pieces of this Flag Bunting. It is not quite enough for all, so do not wait until the last minute.

Dress Goods, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats and Capes. We are showing and selling the latest novelties, and, best of all, we are not asking any advance in prices, but selling them at lower prices than ever. If you want plain dress goods, do not miss seeing our leaders, and do not put it off until it is too late, for they are going at a lively rate.

38 inch Serges and Henriettas, all colors and black, at 24c a yard.  
42 inch Serge, 75c quality, at 50c a yard.  
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Also a complete line of the rough and iridescent effects. Ladies' Coats and Capes. Quoting prices only give you an idea of just how cheap you can buy. We will not quote any prices on garments this time. We want to show you our stock, and will guarantee to show you the best values ever shown in this city.

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## Castoria.

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Dr. J. F. Kitchener,  
Conway, Ark.

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# NEW IDEAS

Our Regular Fall Millinery Opening Will Take Place  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3, 4, 5.

Ladies, you are all respectfully invited to attend. We have made every effort to please you in styles, varieties and prices. Our Cloak Department is up to date. Come and see them. Respectfully,

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# 20-STERN'S-20 Annual Fall Opening of Millinery

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY,  
Oct. 3, 4 and 5.

Ladies, at this is our twentieth fall opening, bearing twenty years in this city, we have and are making it the king of all. There is no use of mentioning what we have to show you, this paper would not hold it all: we ask you to come and in person we warrant you will be more than pleased at

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## LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

- 13—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
- 14—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
- 15—North street and W. Main ave., type shop.
- 16—Railroad ave. and Montgomery St.
- 17—Grand avenue and Prince street.
- 18—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
- 19—West Main street, corner West street.
- 20—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
- 21—James and Henry streets.
- 22—N. E. and John streets, Erie crossing.
- 23—Take avenue and West street.
- 24—W. Main street, corner Montgomery avenue.
- 25—State Hospital.
- 26—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
- 27—Fulton and Hill streets, hat shops.
- 28—High and Hanford streets.
- 29—Canal street, condensation.
- 30—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
- 31—Fulton street and East avenue.
- 32—Academy and Houston avenues.
- 33—E. Main street and Railroad at one.
- 34—E. Main street, foot of Gretna street.
- 35—Academy avenue and Genesee street.
- 36—Myrtle and Prospect at avenue.
- 37—Grand street and Sprague avenue.
- 38—Franklin Square.
- 39—Fairview avenue and South street.
- 40—Corner East Main street and Prospect avenue.
- 41—North street, near Orchard.
- 42—Runge before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.
- 43—Stroke denotes circuit broken.
- 44—2-2-2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
- 45—Strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
- 46—Strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out.

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Cure Diarrhoea, Dysentery and all Disorders of the Bowels and Urinary System.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

Special Election or Appropriation  
Meeting of the Taxable Inhabitants of the City of Middletown,  
N. Y.

The Board of Education of the City of Middletown, N. Y., having submitted a statement, and certified the same to the Common Council of said city, as follows: That said Board deems it necessary for the common schools in said city, the erection of a new additional High School Building or an additional edifice for the Walkkill Academy in the name of the present Academy Building, which has been condemned as unsafe and unfit for use; said additional High School Building or new Walkkill Academy to be erected on the site of the present Walkkill Academy, corner of Academy and Little avenues, in said city, and that the sum necessary and required to erect such additional High School Building or new edifice for the Walkkill Academy, and furnish the appearance, and the probable cost thereof, to the best of the judgment of said Board is as follows:

1. A new building of three stories and basement, principally of brick and stone, and the apparatuses, \$51,000
2. A proper system of heating and ventilation, 6,000

Total, \$57,000

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Election or Appropriation Meeting of the Taxable Inhabitants of said city, will be held at the Corporation or Common Council Rooms, on Foundry street, in said city, on THURSDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1903, from two o'clock in the afternoon until eight o'clock in the evening, at which the question, whether said sum or sums, to be expended for the purpose of erecting said building or not, will be submitted to the qualified voters for their determination.

By order of the Common Council,  
E. M. HAMILTON, Clerk,  
Dated Middletown, N. Y., Sept. 10th, 1903.  
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## FROM MANY SOURCES.

"You say that horse isn't afraid of anything. Can my wife drive him?" "I don't know, sir. I've never seen your wife."—Life.

Lefty Leftover (sings)—I have only seen 20 summers Sallie Sydig—is that so? Why don't you consult an oculist?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

James asked his wife, "Why is a husband like dough?" He expected she would give it up and was going to tell her it was "because a woman needs him," but she said it was "because he was hard to get off her hands."—Town and Country Journal.

"Studying a woman," remarked a corn-fid philosopher to a bumptious young man, "is much like looking into a mirror. You seem to be looking into the inmost depths of her mind when you really see only your own reflections."—Indianapolis Journal.

"I hardly know what to make of the new minister," said the king of Mbwaka to his forty-second wife. As usual, woman's attitude for estimating a man as his true value came to the front. "Suppose you make a stew of him," she suggested, and it was done.—Pearson's Weekly.

Mrs. Bloozin—Have you been to any of the fall openings, my dear? Mrs. Buzbuz—Not exactly, but I tumbled into a coal hole the other day.—Roxbury Gazette.

"Nerve," said the man from Newport. "Nerve? Why, that fellow would go into a live stable and ask them to let him leave his bicycle with them."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An old member of the London Stock Exchange says, "The only time a man of experience takes his wife into his confidence is to tell her he is not making any money."—Household Words.

Mrs. Sweet—Do you find it economical to do your own cooking? Mrs. Burnum—Oh, yes. My husband doesn't eat half as much as when we had a cook.—Yonkers Statesman.

The class in natural history being asked the difference between a dog and a tree, the head boy answered, "A tree is covered with bark, while a dog seems to be lined with it."—Sunny Hours.

When Sawney died, his widow's face gleamed through her tears as she remarked: "There's one satisfaction in the thought that poor Jim has gone where he won't have to get up in the morning to make a fire. That's something he never could abide."—Boston Transcript.

Harle—Why does Marie still continue to look under the bed every night? Adele—She is one of the kind that never gives up hope.—Toledo Blade.

"Has Clara taken to wearing bicycle bloomers yet, Jennie?" "No, not yet. I don't believe she will either. Do you, Marie?" "No. The old sawdust leggings they sell are so unreliable."—New York Recorder.

"I'd like to sell you a good wheel—only been used a month, 1895 model, pneumatic tires." "No use to try. I've got a pneumatic peckerbook."—Indianapolis Journal.

Superintendent of Insane Asylum—What's that woman howling about? Attendant—She doesn't like her straitjacket. "Does she want it taken off?" "Yes. She wants one with puffed sleeves."—Tit-Bits

## All Arranged.

"You ask me to marry you, George?" she said slowly. "Do you know that I am rich?"

"Yes."

"In my own right?"

"Yes."

"And that you will have to come to me for money?"

"Yes."

"Even for a cab fare?"

"Yes."

"And that you may have to walk in pleasant weather?"

"Yes."

"And you are willing to marry me and take the chances?"

"Yes."

"Then I am yours, George, and I hope you may be happy."—Household Words.

## A Frank Critic.

Artist—There, sir, is my latest picture. Ingenious Friend—Well, you haven't economized paint on it, have you? What do you call it anyway?

Artist—What do I call it? Why, sir, that is an autumn sunset.

Ingenious Friend—You don't say so! Well, I don't blame the sun at all for setting.—Richmond Dispatch.

## Incredible.

"I understand that the railroad companies are making great preparations for carrying bicycles next summer."

"Yes, wheelmen are beginning to get their rights. Why, I know of one road this year that actually refused to allow more than two trunks to be put on top of one wheel."—Brooklyn Life.

## Pleased Her.

Angelina (shortsighted)—Edwin, darling, do get me a hat like that lady's. It is so chic, so utterly French.—St. Paul's.

The most pleasant little pills for regulating the bowels, are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Cure sick headache and constipation. Small pill. Small dose. W. D. Olney.

We recommend DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure because we believe it a safe and reliable remedy. Its good effects are shown at once in cases of Cholera Morbus and similar complaints. W. D. Olney.

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A QUIET NIP  
FOR NERVE, BRAIN AND BLOOD  
IRON-TONE  
The most delicious beverage known and pleasurable to the taste. At all soda fountains, 5 cents per glass. Extract Magic Iron-Tone for home use, 25 cents per bottle.

## A Common Danger.

If you have ever had a cold which you permitted to "wear away" it may interest you to know it was a dangerous proceeding. Every cold and cough which is neglected paves the way for consumption, bronchitis, asthma or catarrh. Otto's Cure, the famous German throat and lung remedy, will cure any cough or cold and save you from consumption. Call on John J. Chambers and get a sample bottle free.

Some days nothing will "come out right," from the time you rise till you retire. Ten to one, the trouble is in yourself. Your blood is in bad condition, and every organ suffers in consequence. What you need is the cleansing, invigorating influence of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

When occasions demand its use, try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is cooling to burns, stops pains instantly, cleanses, a perfect healer for scalds or skin eruptions. Always cures piles. W. D. Olney.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsville, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with a result. I bought one bottle of South American Nerve, which did me more good than any \$50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warrenton the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.

There is great danger in neglecting Colic, Cholera and similar complaints. An absolutely prompt and safe cure is found in DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. W. D. Olney.

## How to be Handsome.

It is a mistake to suppose that the only way to be good looking is to be born so. Good health has more to do with good looks than anything else. Such diseases as constipation, dyspepsia, liver complaints, rheumatism, nervous disorders, &c., not only shorten life, but spoil temper and "looks." Bacon's Celery King for the nerves cures these troubles. John J. Chambers sells it and will give a sample package free.

## Relief in One Day.

SOUTH AMERICAN NERVE relieves the worst cases of Nervous Prostration, Nervousness and Nervous Dyspepsia in a single day. No such relief and blessing has ever come to the invalids of this country. It powers to cure the stomach and is wonderful in the extreme. It always cures; it cannot fail. It radically cures all weakness of the stomach and never disappoints. Its effects are marvelous and surprising. It gladdens the hearts of the suffering and brings immediate relief. It is a luxury to take and always safe. Trial bottles 15 cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, Druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

Do not make a mistake in buying family medicine. McCall's Pills cure all stomach and liver

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NEW YORK & WESTERN RAILWAY  
Time Table in Effect Sept. 22nd, 1893.  
NORTH BOUND.

NORTH BOUND.											
STATIONS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Mile	On't	Day	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp
N. Y. LEAVE											
Franklin st.	3	3	7	40					3	01	3 45
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W. 46th St.	3	4	8	10					3	25	4 05
Corwall	3	5	10	45					3	40	5 35
W. Corwall	3	5	10	55					3	50	5 40
W. 53d St.	3	5	11	55					3	55	5 45
W. 57th St.	3	5	12	10					4	05	5 50
B'way	3	5	12	15					4	10	5 55
Campbell St	3	5	12	22					4	15	6 00
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W. 119th St.	3	5	12	45					4	40	6 25
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W. 128th St.	3	5	13	00					4	55	6 40
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## TUXEDO GALA DAY.

The Coaching Parade and Horse Show on the Goshen Driving Park

The huge lithograph posters which occupy prominent places in every available spot in the county are directing public attention to "Tuxedo Gala Day," when the wealth and aristocracy of that exclusive community will gather at Goshen Driving Park. While the coaching parade and the exhibition of tandems and high stappers will be well worth seeing and the speed events doubtless of an exciting character, by no means the least interesting feature of the day will be the people themselves. At the New York horse show the occupants of the boxes attract fully as much attention as the show itself and this condition will prevail at Goshen. Among the notables who are expected to be present are Miss Connelley Vanderbilt and her affianced husband, the Duke of Marlboro.

The music will be even better than at the late race meeting. The Goshen band, enlarged to thirty pieces, will be present, and its concert will be a notable musical event.

Secretary Van Nuyse has assurances that good fields of horses will start in each of the speed events. The classes are 2.34 class, trotting, \$250; Orange Co. purse; 2.38 class, trotting, \$300; Tuxedo stake; 2.19 class trotting and pacing, \$400 ex-cise purse.

A unique feature of the affair will be the serving of a lunch on the grounds. Special trains via Erie R. R. will leave Newburgh at 11 a. m.; Tuxedo at 12 m. Returning will leave Co-hon at 5.30. A half-rate fair will be charged and tickets will be on sale at all railroad stations. Admission to track fifty cents. Boxes and reserved seats can be had on application to the Secretary, Mr. Jas. Van Nuyse, Goshen.

## THE UNGRADED SCHOOL.

A Good showing in Attendance—Roll of Honor.

Mr. J. C. Mullison, the teacher of the ungraded school on East Main street, is gradually bringing the school up to a high standard.

There were twenty-eight enrolled in September and the average attendance was 95 per cent., and only 43 days in all were lost during the month. Four of the pupils have received a record of 100 for deportment and their names have been entered on the roll of honor. It is expected this number will be increased during the present month to about twenty.

## Real Estate Sales.

Gardner & McWilliams, real estate agents, have sold for C. W. Hill a house and lot, No. 72 Sprague avenue, to out of town parties, from whom he takes in exchange three building lots on Prospect avenue, Houston Hill.

E. E. Conkling, real estate and insurance agent, has sold for Mr. George M. Hill a fine cottage of nine rooms, on Wawayanda avenue, to Dr. P. C. Royce. Also a neat cottage of eight rooms on the same avenue to Mr. William Ward and a choice lot on Richmond Place to a party who buys it as an investment. The same agency has sold also for Mr. Hill his grocery and provision store on East Main street to Mr. Harry L. Hunt, conductor on the electric railroad, who took possession, this morning.

## A Very Cheap Farm

The Townsend farm at East Fishkill was sold at referee sale, last week, for \$750. The farm contains 160 acres, the house and barn are in fair condition, and there are two apple orchards and a large track of woodland, from which at least 1,500 cords of wood can be cut.

## Successful Deer Hunters

Messrs. Jacob Gunther, Cuno Musbach and Peter Vogler returned, this morning, from a deer hunting expedition in the Adirondacks. They killed three deer and had oceans of fun.

## A Cake Sale.

A cake sale of home-made cake will be held at the rooms of the W. T. O. U., on Thursday night. All are cordially invited.

## One Way of Evading the Law.

New York City parties have found a way of evading the laws of New York State, which prohibits the shooting of deer in interior counties of the State for five years. They send their dogs into Sullivan county and the deer are chased across the Delaware into Pike County, Pa., and are shot down as they leave the river. It would seem that law ought to reach them.



Smooth White Hands result from using Orange Flower Balm. 25 cents. McMonagle & Rogers.

## PUBLIC VOICE.

Triumph Lodge, I. O. G. T. Has Not Disbanded.

Editors ARGUS:—In this evening's issue we notice the following item under the heading of "Good Templars Disbanded."

Triumph Lodge, No. 771, I. O. G. T., of Slate Hill, disbanded Friday night, etc.

The above item is untrue; the lodge at Slate Hill has not disbanded or surrendered its "charter;" they have changed their place of meeting not feeling able to pay the rental of the place they had been occupying. The Good Templars, of Slate Hill, have proved themselves important factors in sustaining no license in that locality. As a result of their activity, there are a number of those who believe in "wet goods" in that township, who would rejoice if the above item had been the truth.

In justice to the Order of Good Templars in the county we ask you to give this denial as prominent space in the ARGUS as the item above referred to.

Yours truly,  
T. W. SMITH,  
County Chief Templar.  
Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 7, 1895.

## Celebrated His Eightieth Birthday.

Mr. John J. Barbare, of Sloatsburgh, who came to this city a week ago to spend his eightieth birthday with friends and relatives, was very pleasantly surprised, last evening, at a residence of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Tannery, of Lake avenue, by the appearance of his grandchildren who during the evening presented him with a handsome silver mounted cane, the natural stick of which is said to have come from the Congo Valley, in Africa. On the handle was a plate inscribed:

To Grandpa.  
From His Grandchildren,  
Eightieth Birthday.

The old gentleman was completely surprised and very much pleased. He takes great pride in showing the cane to friends to-day.

## NEW HAMPTON.

Water Getting Scarce—The Advertising Social—The Smoky Sunday—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

Wells and streams in this vicinity are getting very low.

All who attended the advertising social at Mrs. J. L. Stage's, last Friday, report a very good time. The prizes offered for the those guessing the most advertisements correctly were won by Miss Stella Tutthill and Willie Stage.

Miss Minnie Creedon is on the sick list.

Mr. M. C. Pullis, we are glad to say, is able to be out.

Miss Cora Brome spent Sunday at her home in Denton.

Miss Stella Tutthill, of Chester, spent a few days last week with her friend, Miss A. C. Stage.

Mr. John Doremus, of Oquaga, was in this village last week.

The fog and smoke Sunday morning were so dense in this place that farmers had great difficulty in finding their cows and the cows could not find their way out of the pastures. It did not clear until nearly 10 o'clock.

Miss Gertie Mills is attending school in Goshen.

Mr. Albert Kaapp has begun shipping cider to New York market.

## THE ASYLUM EXTENSION.

The Curves Here and the Line to be Completed.

The curves for the extension of the electric road to the State Hospital arrived, yesterday, and are being put in place.

It will be necessary to build a temporary bridge over the brook on Lake avenue for the road, as it will be some time before the city's bridge is constructed.

It is probable that cars can be run to Summit avenue the latter part of this week.

## Life Insurance Paid

The Industrial Insurance Co., has paid to Mrs. D. M. Hasbuck the amount of the policy held by her late husband in the company.

## The O and W's Autumnal Excursion.

The annual fall excursion to New York over the O and W. Railway will be run Tuesday, Oct. 29. For rates, time of trains, etc., see bills or inquire of Ticket Agents E. Van Horn, Wickham avenue, or F. S. Garrison, Main street.

Confusion as to the choice of a blood-purifier is unnecessary. There is but one best Sarsaparilla, and that is Ayer's. This important fact was recognized at the World's Fair, Chicago, 1893, being the only blood-purifier admitted to be placed on exhibition.

There is one medicine that will cure immediately. We refer to DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure for all summer complaints. No delay. No disappointment. No failure. W. D. Olney.

HEADACHE cured in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN EXPELLER. "One cent a dose." At druggists.

## STONY FORD.

Personal Notes—Lots of Cider Apples—Harvey Roe's Saw Mill—The Season at Creamery Hall—Hard Cider and Hard Weather—Shipping Wood and Timber—Dry Weather and Swamp Fires.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

E. J. Norris has been confined to the house for the past week with a severe cold.

Mr. Charles Wells and family, of Newburgh, spent Sunday at William Bull's.

Howard Smith, of Yankee Pond, Sullivan county, came over Saturday to make his old friends a short visit. Howard says fish are biting well, and as for partridges the woods are full of them.

D. A. Shafer has been grinding apples and making cider at his distillery, since Sept. 1st, and yet the apples get ahead of him. His bins are now all full, and hundreds of bushels lay in heaps outside.

Harvey Roe now has his saw mill in complete running order, having put in a new drive, bulkhead, etc. The work was done by Messrs. Cummings and White, of Middletown.

E. I. Barritt expects to have a series of entertainments in Creamery Hall, this fall and winter. Ed. had expected to open the hall with J. B. McCarty's lecture on "Salt," but as salt is something that will keep Ed. will probably get some perishable things in first.

Sweet cider sells for seven cents per gallon, while cider that is tempered brings twenty cents for the same quantity. 'Tis funny most things get mellow with age, but cider gets hard. Chaplain DuBois, of Montgomery, in his lecture on "Hard Times," remarks that hard cider is the cause of some of our hard times, for he remembers a man who once on a time "hit" too much hard cider and had a hard time in getting home.

G. O. Hoffman shipped from this station, last week, 1,200 railroad ties and four cars of cord wood, besides several cars of other timber. Mr. Hoffman has a steam saw mill about two miles from the station, and has five teams and about a dozen men employed.

Although we haven't exactly a water famine yet in some places, the thirst quenching fluid is mighty scarce. Streams, springs and wells that were never known to go dry, are to-day dryer than a New York Sunday. There is nothing on the fields for cattle to eat and farmers are all foddering. During such a drouth as this a person cannot be too careful about fire, for if a fire is once started a light wind will carry it over acres of land. There are three fires in swamps along the Montgomery Railroad, between Campbell Hall and Goshen, that have been burning more than a week and the smoke from them and the fires in Cedar and Pumpkin swamps was so dense, Sunday, that you could not see a rod ahead of you. Well! McCormick who drives the condenser wagon, said the smoke was so thick on his way down that he couldn't find any of his old land marks and had to run by the compass altogether.

## The Best Solution of the Liquor Question.

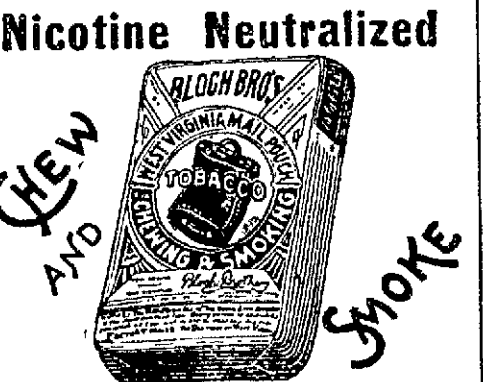
Two well known temperance men had a conference at an hour, this morning, when most temperance men are in their beds, and settled the liquor question. After discussing the matter at some length one said to the other: "There is one solution of the question and it is the only one, 'let no man take any.' The other man agreed with him and they separated fully satisfied that the great question was solved.

## GLEN WILD.

Convention of Epworth League Chapters.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

The first convention of the Epworth League chapters of the Bridgeville charge will be held in the M. E. Church, at Glen Wild, on Wednesday of this week. The pastor, Rev. S. M. Cole, has prepared an interesting programme for the occasion.



MAIL POUCH TOBACCO  
No Nerves Quaking  
No Heart Palpitating  
No Dyspeptic Aching  
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## BLOOMINGBURGH.

A Runaway—The Classes of Orange—A Church's Seventy-fifth Anniversary.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

In attempting to pass a wagon at the Bloomingburgh toll gate Mr. J. E. Winter's wagon struck a post, throwing him out and causing the horse to run away. Mr. Winter escaped with a few bruises.

Mrs. S. W. Comfort has gone for a two weeks' visit to Oneonta, N. Y.

The Bloomingburgh C. E. Society expects to visit the Wurtsboro C. E. Tuesday evening.

The Classes of Orange will meet in the Reformed Church, Tuesday, Oct. 15th, '95.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the Reformed Church will be celebrated, Wednesday, Oct. 16th. Revs. Mills, Milligan, Crawford, Van Wyke and others will speak. All former members are cordially invited to attend.

## DECKERTOWN.

Many Weddings—A Busy Factory—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ryerson have returned from their wedding trip.

Dame Rumer reports a number of weddings for this fall and winter.

Miss Minnie Dickinson, of Liberty, called on her friends at this place, on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Parkinson Adams have returned from Fond Du Lac, Wis., where they have been visiting their daughter, Mr. DeSombre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams are settled in their new home on Museum street.

Ewald's shoe factory now runs until 9 o'clock in order to fill their many orders.

## MCUNT HOPE.

Personal Notes—Many Weddings.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carpenter, of Shawanga Lodge, High View, were calling on friends here, Thursday.

Rev. Thomas Fitzgerald and son spent Sunday in Ridgebury as the guests of Rev. Theron Brittain.

Rev. Luther Little is kept busy attending weddings. He has had three in less than a week.

Darwin Lamson is improving as fast as can be expected.

## HOWELLS.

Illustrated Lectures.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

On Thursday evening, Oct. 10th, Prof. F. S. Stevens will deliver two lectures, "Around the World" and "The Life of Our Saviour," illustrated by stereopticon views, in the church. Admission ten and fifteen cents. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

## Races at Pine Bush.

Trotting races will take place on the Pine Bush track, Thursday, Oct. 17th. A purse of \$100 will be offered for the free for all class and of \$75 for 2:40 horses. Entries close Oct. 12.

## JOHNSON.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

The Johnson Horse Thief Society will hold its annual meeting, Saturday evening, Oct. 12, at Mr. I. R. Drake's store in Johnson.

Smooth White Hands result from using Orange Flower Balm. 25 cents. McMonagle & Rogers.

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REPAIRING July 8th and continuing to Sept. 3rd, the City Tailor will give a liberal reduction on all cash orders for summer goods. The largest stock to select from in the city. 704t CHAS. H. KIMBLE 26 North St.

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ALL the latest styles in fall millinery at MISS EMMA E. KOEHLER, 12 Mulberry street, Middletown, N. Y. (also Stamping done.) 4936t

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W. H. CLARK, Chairman of Building Committee.

## HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A reliable, active gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house. Salary \$750, payable \$15 weekly, and money advanced for expenses. Situation steady. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. 24d30t H. E. HESS, President, Chicago.

A SPECIAL Meeting of Executive Board and Ladies Aid will be held at the truck house, on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance. Every member in town should be present. F. A. R. PRONK, President.

FOR SALE—Heavy ulsters and overcoats of all descriptions \$2 and upwards. EXCHANGE & MART CO., No. 46 East Main street. 60d&4t

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## Notice of Registration.

Notice is hereby given that the Inspectors of Election, acting as Boards of Registry, will meet at the following polling places, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on Friday, Oct. 11th, Saturday, Oct. 12th, Friday, Oct. 18th, and Saturday, Oct. 19th, 1913, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and continue in session with not more than two intermissions of one hour each, until 6 o'clock in the evening, to wit:

FIRST WARD.  
First District—At McQuoid Engine House, East Main street.  
Second District—At barn of Henry Morey, Wickham avenue and Cottage street.

THIRD DISTRICT—Ontario Hotel House, North St.  
SECOND WARD.  
First District—At Phoenix Engine House, John street.

Second District—At store house 228 North St.  
Third District—At Walkill Engine House, Walkill avenue.

THIRD WARD.  
First District—At Frank Wilson's livery stable, 65 West Main street.  
Second District—At I. B. A. Taylor & Co's store, 32 West Main street.

FOURTH WARD.  
First District—At store, No. 46 East Main street.  
Second District—At Bryan Bros' Carriage factory, 17 Academy avenue.

Third District—At Rogers & Ayres' livery stable, Sprague street.  
E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk.  
Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 4th, 1913. 49,11,15,17

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Races at Pine Bush.

A race meet will be held at the Brewster Hill Driving Park, Pine Bush, N. Y., on

THURSDAY, OCT. 17th.

Free for all class, purse \$100; 2:40 class, purse \$75. Entries close Oct. 12th.

Address JAS. H. WALLACE, Pine Bush, N. Y. 11,13,15,17

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